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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE MORNING HERALD, Titusville, Friday Eve, Oct. 27, 1865.

In New York on Thursday the demand for money was moderately active at seven per cent on call, says the New York Herald, and although one or two banks called in some of their loans there was very few complaints of a difficulty in borrowing on good collaterals at the legal rate. Some of the most prominent lenders declined lending to parties on the Stock Exchange suspected of being in the bears' conspiracy to raise and depleted stringency. The efforts of these persons to lock money out of the market for the sake of enhancing the brown speculative ends will prove futile, and in effect they may be likened to drawing water by the bucket from a lake. Wherever there is a vacuum, either in the lake or in the money market, it is soon filled, and the attempt of a band of desperate speculators, and, to some extent, irresponsible speculators to control monetary affairs at this the financial centre of the country is sure of being seconded as they have been on more than one occasion by the banks, ought to be severely discouraged. Jacob Little is dead, but long ago to play the trick of borrowing when he had no need of money, and he was shrewd enough to borrow from those in know the Gulf houses were in the habit of living upon, so that the shot might be made to pinch just where he wanted it to pinch. But the contemporaries of things under which he worked in those days have given place to a number of men who, if they are not quite equal to the old Gulf, are yet sufficiently clever to make a great commotion with it, if they put forth their energies, and the one main power has passed into the hands of men who have repeated to exhibit in Wall street would be as dead before the wind should they venture upon the same explosion of opposing the popular current. Already it is believed that some of the leaders who have had a controlling influence over the market, and who regard the Stock Exchange in the same spirit as a wolf in a sheepfold, have in effect purchased Gold Bills here, and that if they fail to settle the loan stand ins, contrary to to-morrow they would be found winding and boxing up in numbered in the long procession of Jim Fisk. Many of them are in positions to throw off at any moment a certain operation on Thursday.

Petroleum stocks were in fair activity at the first board. Mountain closed 60, closing at 2 61. Pithole Creek advanced 1 cent, closing at 2 67. Jackson Farm sold at 2. Buchanan Farm closed at 2 69. Cherry Run 25. Jackson 74. First National 72c. Hyde 1 $1 62. Oil Creek $1 50. Reed Farm 90c. Lady 30. and Webster $1 12.

PETROLEUM MARKETS

TITUSVILLE Friday Eve October 27

The Petroleum market is broken, both in Pithole and in the Creek.

The following are quotations to-day:

PETROLEUM

Creek on Creek	40 @ 41 50
Creek at Pithole	3 — @ 3 50
Creek at Titusville	1 00
Rebin Run Bond	50
Rebin Run Price	75
Bitumen Gravity	None
Bright Barrels	$ — @ 2 50
Teaming from Creek to Shaffer	1 00
" " " Pithole to "	2 00
" " " Titusville to "	2 50
" " " Creek to "	1 50

COAL

Bituminous	$14 00
Anthracite	16 00
Blacksmith	18 00
Spring Shoe	17 00
Blacksmith	14 00@18 00

LUMBER

Common	$20 00@25 00
Clear	60 00
Shingles	6 00@8 00
Lath	5 00@6 00

TIME

Lime per bbl	3 00
Water Lime per bbl	5 00
Calcine Plaster per bbl	5 00
Brick per 1000	20 00@25 00

The receipts and shipments by wagon and railroad on Thursday were as follows:

	Receipts	Shipments
Crude, bbls	—	1,500
Refined, bbls	—	1,000

TITUSVILLE WHOLESALE MARKET.

TITUSVILLE Friday Eve October 27

FLOUR—XXX white wheat $12 75@14 50. XX red winter $10 50@11 50.

OATS—38 cents in bulk, 40c on track and 45c in store.

CORN—Ear corn is sold at $1 05 for No 1.

MEAL—$1 50@1 75.

BUTTER—Scarce, 40@45c.

LARD—Firm at 15c.

POTATOES—$1 00@1 25.

CHEESE—16@17c. Very scarce.

EGGS—Market is firm at 35c. Hard white 27@28c. Soft do 25@27c.

TEAS—Japan choice $1 40@1 50. Fine Young Hyson $1 30. Young Hyson $1 20@1 30. Good do Color $1 00@1 10. Common do $1 15. Oolong $1 20.

COFFEE—Green 30@35c. Roasted 44@50c. Ground 45@50c.

SUGARS—Higher.

CANDLES—$1 15.

CLOVES—50c.

ALLSPICE—45@50c.

PEPPER—42@45c.

NUTMEGS—$1 60.

SOAP—Babbitt family 10c. Do chemical 10c. Cincinnati crystal, white 11, yellow 13. Magical 15c. Cashell's Glycerine Imperial 20c. Do toilet, 6 for each, $2 00.

SALT—$4 00@4 25.

FISH—Water $4 50. Quincy, $2 25@2 50.

CHEESE—Reston 18c. Do in tin. Butter, 18c.

SPICES, Ist.

RAISINS—Bloom $7 00, Half Bloom $3 50.

RICE—10c.

STARCH—Laundry, 14@16c, Corn Starch, 16c.

SALERATUS—12c.

CREAM TARTAR—40@45c.

NEW YORK MARKET

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

NEW YORK October 27

COTTON—Less firm and a shade easier at 2 5/8@50 for middling.

FLOUR—Dull and heavy, 5@10c lower at $5 00@5 15 extra State. $7 70@8 00 for superfine western. $8 10@8 60 common to good shipping brands extra round hoop Ohio and $9 00@15 40 trade brands. Market closing heavy.

WHISKY—Steady, western at 32 3/4@33c.

WHEAT—Market 1@2 better with fair to good demand for Milwaukee club and new Milwaukee club. $1 16@1 18, and for Milwaukee and $2 — @2 12 for new amber State.

RYE—Steady at $1 18 for western.

BARLEY—More active and 5@10c better at $1 22 1/2@1 30 for inferior to choice Canada western.

CORN—Active and 2@3c better at 1 — @88 for unsound and 90c for sound mixed western.

OATS—A shade firmer at 48@49c for sound, and 54@55c for sound.

BEEF—Quiet.

COTTLE—Firm.

SUGAR—Steady at 11 1/2@11 for Cuba Muscovado.

MOLASSES—Quiet.

PORK—Decidedly lower with sales at $33 25@34 00 for mess closing at $34 25 cash. $29 00 prime and $28 — @29 00 prime mess.

BEEF—Steady at $11 — @14 for plain mess and $19@17 for extra mess.

LARD—Inclined to decline.

CUTMEATS—Dull.

TALLOW—Dull.

WOOL—Heavy at 32@35c.

BUTTER—Inclined to decline.

CHEESE—Firm at 18c.

N. Y. MONEY AND STOCK MARKET.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

NEW YORK October 27

GOVERNMENT STOCKS—Without decided change.

FREIGHTS TO LIVERPOOL—Dull and declining.

GOLD—At 35c.

STOCKS—Weak.

U. S. 6s coupon, Nov		Erie	75
Do registered	105	Reading	87
Do 10-forties	103	Pacific Mail	97
U. S. 6s 1881 coupon		Western Union	37
Do registered		Toledo	7
Gold	35	Wabash	7

NEW YORK OIL MARKET.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

New York, Oct. 27

Petroleum, unsettled at 5c for crude and 1 — @1 c for refined in bond. 56c c. f. o. b.

BUFFALO MARKET.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

BUFFALO, October 27

FLOUR—Dull.
WHEAT—Quiet.
OATS—Quiet.
CORN—Worse at 60c, for No. 1 67c.
BARLEY—Canada at $1 12.
RYE—Inactive and nominal.
WHISKY—Held at $2 23@2 25.
PORK—At $36.

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VERY LATEST NEWS.

New York, Oct 27

The Herald's Washington special says that Senator Romero, Mexican Minister to the United States, is in receipt of dispatches, this evening, which anticipate the capture of Matamoras and the entire occupancy of the State of Tamaulipas by the Liberal forces under Juarez. There can be no doubt of important movements having been on foot to that end for weeks past, and of these having reached a point of reasonable success. These accounts are not refused to have been corroborated in official dispatches received to-day by the government, although the actual occupation of Matamoras by the Liberals has not been announced or confirmed.

Important discussions relating to the recent Imperial decree establishing the new Empire, complete, are likely to be made within a few days that will fully show up the motives of the two Philadelphia dispatches declaring the liberal hopeless and Maximilian's government firmly fastened on the people of Mexico. Secret agents in our are unpublished who have indicate hold on civil and confidential relations with Mr Lincoln's government.

It is now positively known here that the trial of Jeff Davis has been decided upon, and the arrangements have been nearly completed. The trial will be for the crimes of treason and will take place either in the city of Richmond and before the United States Supreme Court. The Counsel for the government have been selected by the District Attorney General, and the friends of Mr Davis have selected and retained counsel for him. Now that the Wirz trial is completed it is supposed that of Davis will immediately follow.

Brevet Col A. T. Hamlin, U. S. Army, who has made several inspections of the Andersonville prison, has made a very long and interesting report on the prison and states that the lives lost at that one spot by starvation and cruelty, our numbers that killed and wounded in the Bull Run, in all of the great battles of the Transmissippi war and at the battle of New Orleans.

The report could not be received in advance at the Wirz trial, on account of the trial being closed when the Colonel reached this city.

Mr Dunn, on, State Agent for Georgia is on his return home from New York, and has succeeded in negotiating a loan of one hundred thousand dollars for one year, at seven per cent on the faith of the Provisional State Government of Georgia.

Ex Governor Neil S. Brown of Tennessee, was pardoned to-day by the President.

E. Rollins of New Hampshire, and D. C. Whitcomb of New York were today commissioned Commissioners and Assistant Commissioners of Internal Revenue.

The Herald has an interesting statement relative to the New Mexican loan for $4,000,000 which was placed on this market on Monday last and does represent the bonds of the dominion of the hundred dollars. Already the demand for these bonds is very great. Applications are pouring in from India and individuals in different parts of the country as well as in the Metropolis, accompanied by warm expressions of sympathy for the cause which the loan is intended to subserve.

The steamer New York, which arrived from Panama yesterday, brought some specimens of gold ore taken from newly discovered bitumen deposits, on the silt line of the Panama Railroad. More extensive discoveries are expected to follow, and the Panama and Aspinwall papers are anticipating a great rush to the new diggings and a consequent animation in business generally.

There is nothing later in relation to the revolution in Peru, and no news of consequence from Central American republics.

The Herald's Washington special says:

The Indian Bureau yesterday received intelligence that the Legislature of the Chickasaws in session has ratified the treaties lately negotiated at Fort Smith, and including the provision abolishing slavery.

Special to the Times:

The report of the United States Treasurer shows that during the past year the business of the Treasury has amounted to an average of three millions per day.

General Spinner, Treasurer, has declined the appointment of Auditor of the New York Custom House, and intends to continue in his present position during the term of President Johnson's administration.

The Court of Internal Revenue received information that the hot cake tax question was again decided against the Brewers in Philadelphia, to day, the matter came up before the court upon an application for an injunction, to restrain the United States Collectors in Philadelphia from collecting the Revenue tax, which was denied.

Charleston S. C., Oct 27

The Masons of the North are about to receive a distinguished committee from the capital of South Carolina. The Masonic fraternity of Columbia have chosen Brothers William Gilmore Simms and Robert Bunn as a committee to represent to their Northern brethren the distress and present condition of the Masonic lodges of Columbia where they were once so numerous, strong, powerful and active. The working implements of the Order have nearly all been destroyed by the ruthless hand of war, and the lodges generally are almost helpless state. In the Northern States it is hoped, the lodges will extend the hand of welcome to these two distinguished members of the fraternity. They will take their departure for the city of New York, in the steamer on Thursday.

DOG LOST

A Setter with brown and white spots or blotches. Had on a leather collar, with small brass plate attached to it, with the name of Dr — Any definite information concerning him will be rewarded by any person returning the same to the office of

JAMES F. DUNCAN
Pithole City, Pa.

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Committee.

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The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm name of Davis Lib Brick, Lessees of Oil Creek Drilling Station, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts to and all Lessees will deal with Daniel Davis.

DANIEL DAVIS
THOMAS JONES

Titusville, Oct 24th 1865. oct24d3t

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For Map or information, apply at Branch Office, (Blackmer Farm,) opposite the Chase House, Pithole City, to JAMES T. HAYDEN; or at Office on premises on Plumer road, at junction of Pithole and West Pithole Creeks, to H. JANES or CHAS. S. WHITNEY, or at Office of

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NOTICE

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Titusville, October 21st, 1865. oct23dtw

WELLS LOCATED

Tubed and Tested by the Titusville Water Well Boring Co., for $2 50 per foot. Office, opposite the President Hotel.

STEPHEN WATTS, Agent.

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THE BATES PETROLEUM COMPANY OF NEW YORK, MASSACHUSETTS, AND NEW HAMPSHIRE. A joint meeting of the Bates Petroleum Company of New York, Shoe and Leather Dealers Petroleum Company of Boston, and New Hampshire Petroleum Company of Manchester was held at office 55 Congress Street, Tuesday Sept. 19, at o'clock A. M. for the purpose of acting upon a charter granted by the State of Pennsylvania, whereby the three companies are consolidated under the name of the Bates Petroleum Company. The Company was organized by the election of thirteen Directors, viz: Franklin B. Wilcox, George Coleman, Louis Kennedy, Daniel B. Lancaster, Oliver B. Boot, of New York, Martin B. Stetson, John B. Fogg, Wickham G. McNeil, Benjamin W. Harris of Boston, Benjamin F. Martin, George J. Brown, William P. Newell, Jacob G. Gilley, of Manchester. The Directors subsequently elected Martin B. Stetson, Esq., of Boston, President, Benjamin F. Martin, Esq., of Manchester, N. H., Vice President, John B. Fogg, Esq., of Boston, Treasurer, James B. Goodrich, Esq., of Boston, Secretary, George Coleman, Esq., of New York, and George A. French, Esq., of Manchester, N. H., Traveling Agents, Norman R. Baker, Esq., of Titusville, Pa., General Agent Reed P. Silver, Esq., of Manchester, N. H., Superintendent. The property of this company is located on and near Pithole Creek, which is now the point of the most exciting interest in all the oil regions, and promises to be one of the most remunerative properties in the process of development.

This company has now two engines at work boring for oil, indications from which are quite flattering. They have also contracted for more engines and wished to prosecute their work with increased energy. Further information may be had by inquiry at office in Congress Street, Room No. 3.

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

Titusville Morning Herald.

Titusville, Saturday, Oct. 28, 1865

The Spoliations of the Alabama.

The latest news from England is of a very important character. Our Secretary of State and Mr Adams Minister in London, have been stirring up the lions in the zoological garden. The roar is a subdued one now but still it is a roar. Earl Russell does not like our claim for spoliations committed by the Alabama, and grumbles at the unpleasant prospect of paying the bills. Mr Adams has been pushing the claims quietly through the instructions of the State department and the affair is fast coming to a crisis. The budget is a thing that always troubles the British Ministry and Parliament especially when there is a prospect of being obliged to raise large sums of money by additional taxation. The birth of a new prince or princess is always considered a joyful event, though the toiling mulitude must ultimately pay for an establishment adapted to the state of the new comer. Earl Russell has been experiencing a new birth, or a conversion of the solid ideas advanced by our government long since. When arrests were being made in the country of men known to be in active concert with the rebels some Englishmen of rank fell into the hands of the authorities. Then there were loud complaints from John Bull, and he proceeded to lay down the law to us and to explain our constitution for us and to show us by indisputable proofs that we had not followed our own laws. But Secretary Seward informed his lordship that Americans were the the best judges of the rights of persons living here and that the government would not be moved from its position. In course of time the Alabama question was referred to impartial umpires and was decided in our favor. In the meantime the scene changed and we found fault with such proceedings. The British government claimed that there were some municipal or port regulations which prevent a more prompt interference or that the laws itself was defective. This difficulty was settled and still the matter was pressed and finally it is rumored that our government offered to submit the question involved to arbitration. This offer is said to have hurt Earl Russell's dignity. It is a question in the first place, whether the law officers of the Crown have correctly interpreted the British Statute. And the Earl goes on to say "Her Majesty's Government are the sole guardians of their own honor.—They cannot admit they have acted with bad faith in maintaining the neutrality they professed."

Then follows the evidence of the new birth "The law officers of the Crown must be held to be better interpreters of a British statute than any foreign government can be presumed to be. This is precisely what Mr Seward told John Bull, and we are glad that Russell has become a convert to the American doctrine which is that nations have the undoubted right to regulate their own internal affairs without foreign interference, and to interpret their own laws according to their own standards. So far Earl Russell is undoubtedly right in his reply just the same as Mr Seward was in his former dispatches. He Earl is also right in affirming that England is the guardian of her own honor and so we are. But when he says that they cannot admit that they have acted with bad faith in maintaining the neutrality they professed he jumbles together two very dissimilar things. The question is not will they admit they did it but did they do it? The whole object of the arbitration would be to ascertain the fact not of admitting themselves to be guilty but whether in fact they were guilty. Arbitrament is not resorted to by nations in order to determine their admissions of improper conduct but to fix their responsibilities if they have done acts or omitted to do acts involving responsibility. Earl Russell's language, therefore, contains a *non sequitur* that will not be allowed to pass unchallenged in this Legislature. The whole question is, was the British Government in fault by bad faith or otherwise in the case of the Alabama and if so, is it responsible? The honor of England may not suffer by the investigation but it ought to be made whatever the result shall be. All we want is fair play and we have no fear of the result. Negotiations are proverbially slow and tedious. Sometimes a score of more years passes ere claims are settled by diplomacy. In the meantime those who have been injured are nursing their wrath to keep it warm and ever looking like a suitor in Chancery for a judgment. The Alabama suit is not overly old yet, and like some human beings, it grows on acquaintance.—That is we like it better. At first the idea of remuneration for losses was scouted at. Now it is generally agreed that our claims are sound, and if pressed with becoming partiality must ultimately be paid. Poor John Bull, it will be hard for him to settle up the score but it must be done.

The Fire in Detroit—Loss Estimated at $1,500,000.

The Detroit *Free Press* of Thursday gives the following, particulars of the fire in that city.

The massive row of brick building, belonging to the Michigan Central Railroad, is a wreck up of smouldering ruins with only all the valuable contents destroyed. The fire broke out at a freight car was loading in the freight part of the depot, through an accident at about 8 o'clock last evening. The flames spread rapidly, and notwithstanding with the most strenuous and valuable exertion with which the city was clearly delighted.

The loss to the Company consists chiefly in material, but it will not fall short of $1,500,000 and this is scarcely a part of the total loss. This should have fallen at this season of the year is the more to be regretted, when the road called to the utmost to meet the demands upon it for conveying freight. It will hardly be possible to repair the buildings this fall, and the actual damage before business can be resumed must come apparently to be inevitable. The loss of merchandise is very great, the building being literally packed from end to end. The amount of flour alone destroyed will exceed 5000,000.

Petitioners at the White House.

This hill or ante room during waiting hours is filled with men. I counted sixty three at one time yesterday. The woman the house who has been so discourteous at this place gave me a seat in her room while I waited. The colored men are all on the grounds and are admitted to the executive presence. President John adopted the general rule adopted by Mr Lincoln specially all who stand in their cards. Business begins at ten and ends at three. Their President will not be molested. Their interviews will be in some house where wish to see the President. Yesterday met.

Two or three strong of woman's rights stood in the hall. One of them wanted to go in with the rush. One of these well dressed gentlemen carry large paper and very small. Standing in one corner with compact little form with a [illegible] shawl shirt [illegible] and [illegible] time with her [illegible] and [illegible] in the corner [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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PETROLEUM ASSOCIATION,

OF TITUSVILLE.

PROSPECTUS

GEORGE B. REED & CO. having purchased twenty-two acres of good oil territory in fee in one of the best localities on Pithole Creek, which is now proven to be the best oil territory in Pennsylvania, and known as part of the Anderson farm, the balance of this farm has been farmed out and is now the property of existing oil companies, development has already completed their surveys, preparatory to putting down several wells.

The property is all low, flat land, every acre suitable for boring, and is located in a very deep basin, the same being very heavily timbered (principally cherry and oak) and geologically in the opinion of the undersigned to the famous Holmden Farm, on same creek, upon which the celebrated Frazer Island and Twin wells, now flowing about 2000 barrels per day, are located.

There are some sixty wells going down within about the limits of the Anderson property, with good indications of oil, some of which are on adjoining farms.

The above described property we propose as a basis for the formation of an association, to be called the National Petroleum Association.

MODE OF INVESTMENT—Instead of the Association being at the expense of putting down wells, we have obtained contracts with all materials to putting down one well to be called the METROPOLITAN WELL and to sink the same to 650 feet, unless oil is found in paying quantities at a less depth, and to test for ten days after said well shall have been completed, the well to be commenced immediately after the organization of this Association and to be prosecuted with vigor, night and day till completed, after which we hereby agree to surrender the same together with the machinery and tools, to the association, free of all expense. We also agree to survey the property into one hundred and fifty lots and furnish the Association with map of survey. It is confidently alleged that the subscribers can be hired for a compensation consisting of one half of the oil as he land matter stands. Thus it will be readily seen that there can be no other risk to the shareholder than the proceeds of the well when completed.

The wells, the Company expect from the sale of the leases, will no doubt, not only exceed the cost of the first two, but make a Dividend equal to the par value of shares, again the shareholders have no claim under to (individually) so there can be no over issuing of stock.

I and in the country is rapidly rising in value, and are confidently believed that each share in this association will realize at least six times its original cost within a short time.

The capital of the Association shall be Fifty Thousand Dollars, and there shall be One Hundred Shares, the original cost of which shall be Five Hundred Dollars each, and each share shall entitle the owner, and the association shall immediately organized by the appointment of Chairman and Secretary who shall issue to each subscriber a certificate for the amount of stock subscribed, and upon the receipt of such certificate the agent is to

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THE ANDERSON FARM ON PITHOLE

Editors of Morning Herald

A few days since I gave you and inquiry for Messrs. George B. Reed & Co. to buy two acres of oil land known as part of the Anderson farm, adjoining the famous Pithole Creek, [illegible] the best oil territory in Pennsylvania. The price I and was subdivided and subscribers, I do so for the purpose of raising the money to pay for the purchase of the same.

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Titusville Morning Herald.

Titusville, Saturday, Oct. 28, 1865.

LOCAL MATTERS.

CORRESPONDENTS—No communication will be inserted in THE HERALD unless accompanied by a responsible name

M. Jones & Co, opposite the Chase House, are agents for the sale of THE HERALD in Pithole

RELIGIOUS SERVICES In Monroe—Episcopal Church—Rev M M Pardon, Rector Services at 10½ A M, 7½ P M

M E Church—Rev Mr Stubbs, Pastor Services at 10½ A M, 7½ P M,

Baptist Church—Rev Mr Hays, Pastor Services at Crittenden Hall

Universalist Church—Rev Mr ——, Pastor Services at 10½ A M, 4 P M

St Paul's German Reformed Church—Rev J Ignatius Services at 10½ A M

St Titus Church—Rev Mr Magnault, Pastor Services 8 A M, 10½ A M, 7½ P M

A Timely Word.

As it is reported that the long dreaded cholera has at last reached our shores, it may not prove uninteresting to our readers to make a few remarks upon this peculiar disease. There is no necessity for being alarmed even should the report prove true, that cholera cases have already occurred, one in Brooklyn, and the other in New York. The whole history of the progress of cholera for the last forty years shows conclusively that, though contagious and epidemic, it is not a contagious disease. In order to prove this, some contagionists physicians have gone so far as to inoculate themselves with the blood, bile, and discharges of patients, in every stage of the disease, without any evil consequences. The history of cholera has also afforded some of the noblest examples of self sacrifice and heroic devotion to duty, on the part of physicians and clergymen. At times when fathers deserted their children, when friends dared not approach the houses of their friends, the physicians and the clergymen fearlessly discharged their duty, carrying physical and spiritual relief to the suffering and the dying. Even when the cholera has fled the city the men of these professions have remained, and in nearly every instance escaped unharmed. A great mystery and variety of opinion exists as to the primary cause of cholera. Its sudden and torturing invasion, to reveal the secret, defies all theories, miasmatic, electric, or spiritual. Atmospheric change has been satisfactorily connected with the outbreak of epidemic epidemics, *animalcula and fungous growths have* been unequivocally unable to account for it and the terrorists that we know no more of its origin than we do of small pox, yellow fever, or any other epidemic disease.

Cholera was unknown to the world in its epidemic on the borders of the Ganges prior to August, 1817 when it broke away from that confines and made its appearance at Delhi in the following month, where it raged for more than a year. It thence extended *down the* Nepaul, southward to Madras and Ceylon, and Malacca. In 1819 it extended to the Burmese Empire and the countries to the east. In 1820 it reached Bombay, where it destroyed 100,000 persons, thence to Madagascar and the east coast Africa, to Borneo, Cochin China and the Philippine Islands. In 1821 it advanced to the Northwest, pursuing the course of rivers and beaten roads to Persia, Arabia and Asia Minor. It seemed to stop for a time but in 1823 it appeared and devastated Central Asia. In 1829 it appeared in Southern Russia and at Moscow in 1830, in 1831 it spread over most of Central Europe, and appeared in England at Sunderland in October, in January, 1832, it was at Edinburgh, and in February at London, where, however, its ravages were small. It broke out in Paris in March, and spread rapidly over France. On June 9, 1832, it appeared on this side the Atlantic at Quebec, June 10th at Montreal, and on June 21st suddenly appeared in New York, the intermediate districts escaping its visitation. The disease spread in various directions—to Philadelphia August 9, and Rochester in July, Boston, Baltimore and Washington in August, and in October it spread from Cincinnati to New Orleans.

One great peculiarity of the cholera is that in many cases post mortem examinations show nothing that will account for death. The whole disease is shrouded in mystery. It is, however, conceded that the nervous system, acting through the sympathetic ganglia, while it resides over the minute vessels of the intestines in that which is principally affected, plainly indicating that its origin may be found in the nerves, which are acted upon during the epidemic, by fears in dull thunderous misery, and more specifically fear. The greatest exciting causes, however, which favor its propagation are personal and public uncleanliness.

Although it is generally acknowledged that marsh or marshy grounds, a hot, moist atmosphere, low, badly aired and crowded houses, the accumulation of a great quantity of animal and vegetable putrefaction scanty or unwholesome food, moral and physical destitution, and the general neglect of public and private health, determine and favor the development of cholera, still it can be developed by first alone acting on the nervous system, independently of either of these predisposing causes. It is, therefore, of the most importance to keep the public mind free from any dread of this disease, which modern science has taught us can not only be cured by proper medical treatment, but although it may need the proper regulation and enforcement of the public and private laws of health

As the proverb says "an ounce of prevention is better than a pound of cure," and as the best method to combat an evil is to be always ready and prepared for it we cannot do better, now that the disease is at our very doors, than immediately commence a thorough and practical cleansing of every city, town and village throughout the country, so that when the full messenger of destruction comes he will find us ready and prepared to meet him

J H Livermore & Co's Button Market on Diamond street, nearly opposite Crittenden Hall, is one of the largest and most complete establishments of its kind in North Western Pennsylvania. We confess to a feeling of agreeable disappointment in finding this so complete a stock of all that goes to make up the wants that the market is supposed to fill, was kept in our district. And the stock is as large as it is good consisting of choice beef, pork, mutton and veal, and the many styles of cut meats, such as hams, shoulders, dried beef, smoked tongues, &c, &c. An enterprising first have prepared themselves to fill orders for poultry, to a large extent, and have delicious bivalves, which make one exclaim with Noah Claypole, "how good a oyster is!" They are wholesaled in large quantities

The business of the concern is very large, and richly worthy a good share of public favor. They make a specialty of the manufacture of sausages, and extreme neatness is apparent in the rooms where this branch of the business is carried on, as well as through the establishment generally.

Money Farm Hotel.—Pithole—The entire stock of wines, &c, is of the genuine and very best quality.

Visit of an Oil Creek Man to Richmond, and Incidents by the Way.

(*Special Correspondence Morning Herald*)

RICHMOND, Va, Oct 21, 1865

Yesterday morning, at half past ten o clock, we arrived at Acquia Creek from Washington, *en route* to Richmond via Fredericksburg. Having been comfortably seated, the engine giving the signal for starting we were soon and necessarily almost imperceptibly moving along the route but to Richmond. We had not proceeded far when we noticed the entrenchments and earthworks thrown up by the rebel *circuitous* side, also stockades that were put up by General Jackson's army. This continued until we reached Fredericksburg, which is pretty in ruins, and looks as if it would be an *admirable* home for the poor, misguided followers of Jeff Davis, as one of our enterprising Oil Creek men would just come out here and invest

Once more ready for an onward movement, the signal given and the small city of Fredericksburg was soon vanishing from our sight, nothing of importance excepting battle fields and entrenchments meeting our gaze until we reached Richmond where we arrived at half past two o clock and proceeded directly to the Spotswood House. A large and beautiful five story building, just completed, at the southeast corner of Eighth and Main streets, and kept by Messrs Garber & Millwood. It is situated at about the western terminus of the burnt district, which extends from Eighth street eastwardly to Fifteenth street and from Cary to Canal street. Nearly all the business part of the city is in ruins, but is being rapidly built up by Northern capital, and many of the buildings promise to be fine structures. The place of amusement have all reopened and people begin to enjoy once more the privileges of Uncle Sam's government, which is considered insurance to be very strict. We are there are quite a number who would like to think themselves first class U S citizens but seeing our blue coats and brass buttons and forming the confining atmosphere of Libby Prison, keep cool and take things as they can get them

After enjoying a splendid night's rest we were once more on the tramp and taking a carriage, with an American citizen of color for pilot, and a young negro as witness to the fall of Richmond, saw every thrilling piece of property for our information. We were first conveyed to Libby Prison on the southeast corner of Nineteenth and Carey streets, and by the kindness of the officer in charge we were shown through the building, a large three story one. The building is divided into three separate departments, fronting on Carey street. The first floor of the east ward department, in time of the war, was used as the quarters of the Confederate officers in charge of this prison, the second and third stories were used as the Federal officers mess room, (and a dirty mess at that.) In the dungeon, on the north side of the building, we were shown several cells, *one of which was occupied by the gallant Col* Corcoran in 1862, and another in which Dick Turner, the keeper of Libby Prison was tried by our troops when Richmond fell into our possession but from which he escaped by removing a wooden bar which had been inserted with the iron one. He was afterwards recaptured and placed in cell No 9 Castle Thunder, and chained to the floor, and finally sent to the Penitentiary. We were also shown the spot from which *Col Streight tunneled out of Libby* he having first removed a portion of the floor of the first story room and then let himself down into the dungeon

Castle Thunder was next visited, and we were shown the cell in which Dorcress Mary Walker was held as a spy. The cell is on the same floor on which Dick Turner was confined. A large yard, or rather hog pen, in the northeast part of the building, was used for the execution of those Union *men sentenced to be shot*

The north wall bears evidence of a number thus brutally murdered judging from the marks of bullets. Both these prisons are under the superintendence of Capt Schoonmaker, 20th N Y S M, and are guarded by members of the 24th Massachusetts regiment

In Libby no prisoners are now kept, but in Castle Thunder are kept all sorts of prisoners some of them of the most desperate and depraved character. *Just below the Rockets, on* the north side of the James River, can still be seen the wreck of the war vessel Patrick Henry and on the opposite shore two partially finished earthworks. Our guide then took us out upon the Fort Harrison Road, where we had a view of all the fortifications about Richmond

The weather being fine we were very much gratified with our trip as we were shown many battle fields and also where the Hero Phil Sheridan bothered the rebels so long, and finally captured 500 cavalry, with a handful of our men

The 11th and 12th United States Infantry are doing guard and police duty in the city, and are stationed at the west end of the city

The country people are yet quite hostile and do not want to believe that Richmond is taken by the Yankees, but when they come to look around for their great leader, Jeff, and see that he has vamoosed with their money and faith, and find his place, running the machine, a lot of Northern mud sills, the truth stares them in the face, and they have to come into the harness (reluctantly, of course)

The bridge across the James River will soon be rebuilt, the contract for which has been taken at one hundred and thirty thousand dollars, to be finished by the first of January next

We have just taken a trip down the James River to Fortress Monroe and Norfolk. Fortifications, forts and batteries line the banks on either side, saw Gen Butler's Dutch Gap Canal. It is a masterly structure, although a failure. The canal is about 100 yards long, and the distance to be excavated is four *miles, cutting off many* rebel batteries. The ground about the canal is literally torn to pieces—the rebels shelling out men while at work. The holes in the ground are still to be seen where the boys left them when they went to sleep nights, the only thing, by the way, I believe, that the officers and soldiers have not disposed of that belongs to Uncle Sam. Further down we pass Harrison's Landing, of which we have heard and read so *much, and the last battle field of Little Mac*, Malvern Hill, also the towers of observation used by our signal corps, which are strung along the banks. Taking it all together, the trip is interesting and delightful, and what makes it more so, to the sight of poor Jeff Davis in his cell at Fortress Monroe. We had the pleasure of seeing him, but not of speaking to him. He looks as if he would soon be sent for by Uncle Sam, and I presume he will, as our folks at the Capitol are *about out of work*

We are soon expecting to leave on the excellent line of our steamers for New York, about Monday, which sails from here every other day, and the weather being very fine, are anticipating a very pleasant trip

STAR

ATLANTIC FOR NOVEMBER—The table of contents of this excellent periodical comprises a number of interesting articles, among which are "The Visible and Invisible in Literature," "Jeremy Bentham," "Alexander Hamilton," and papers on "The Progress of the Electric Telegraph," and "The Field of Gettysburg." Mrs Stowe's "Chimney Corner" is continued, and there is an excellent poem—"The Peace Autumn." The *Atlantic* is for sale at the popular book and stationery store of G W Hull, Franklin street, near Spring street

The Fashionable—Central Park Reconstructed Citizens—The Japanese The Tunisian Embassy—Barnum's New Museum A Mammoth Hotel Academy of Music.

(from our Special Correspondent)

NEW YORK, Oct 25, 1865

New York just now is full to overflowing. The so called fashionable world has returned from its summer campaign. Newport, Saratoga and Saratoga are deserted. Those whom we recently saw indulging in the *fun incident* at those pleasant resorts have returned to their daily avocations, and may be seen every afternoon wending their way toward Central Park, in their randoms, drags, dog-carts and four in hands. Mr Leonard W Jerome, the great Wall street stock operator has *perhaps the best appointed equipage to be seen* on the drive. Each of his four blooded horses is worth over $2,000. They are harnessed to what is technically called a "drag." It is very much in the style of the old English mail coach and admirably well adapted to show off four high spirited horses. Every afternoon the Park is crowded with elegant equipages, filled with well dressed people. On Saturday there is music, and so great is the jam that the carriages are made to go in single file, one after the other, at a snail's pace. It is a matter of astonishment where all the men it comes from. Persons who, two years ago could not have borrowed $50, are now noted for their fine houses and profuse expenditure. Speculation is rampant. Wall street seems a never filling mint of wealth, and stock jobbers are the *aristocracy of the hour*

On reconstructed Southern line there of the $30,000 class sun themselves on Broadway and congregate about the portals of the New York Hotel, dressed in purple and fine linen, apparently contented and happy. They seem to have lost some of the sacred chivalric fire, but still retain their fondness for whisky straight and take kind is to the mixture of cocktail. Long may they live with their revolvers, bowie knives and rapiers, as types of the good old Southern gentleman of the olden time.

The Japanese have become travelling people. I met, the other day, Mr Yoshoboro, of Yedo Japan. This gentleman is travelling for amusement and instruction. He speaks very little English, and that very badly. He is a man of letters and fortune in his own country, dresses in the costume of Japan, stops at the Howard House and moves about with the good natured of the American people, whether reconstructed or not. I saw him on Broadway, the other morning, arm in arm with a member of the great China house of Wetmore, Crider & Co, who are his correspondents here

I will not waste time speaking of the Tunisian embassy, who are a likely looking set of young *aristocrats, recently arrived in this great and enlightened country*, on some mysterious mission from the Bey of Tunis. As far as I can learn their mission seems to be to have a good time generally

The theatres and opera are just now in the full tide of successful operation. Barnum has purchased land on Union Square, for the purpose of building a colossal museum, to be completed next year, when he proposes to humbug the people *on a grand and unprecedented scale of magnificence*. We are promised elephants, white mice, whales, mermaids and albinoes without number

Everything moves up town, and the Fifth Avenue Hotel is just now the centre of this great upto town movement. In the evening it is crowded with citizens and strangers, in search of news. The telegraph, always in operation, pours forth in rapid succession Indian Congress proceedings, Southern *reconstructions, railroad accidents, murders* &c, from all parts of the country, to the eager and anxious crowd there assembled

Cornelius, the proprietor of the New York Hotel, has purchased for $160,000, the block of ground between fifty ninth and Sixth streets, fronting on Central Park. He proposes to erect a *mammoth hotel*, at a cost of one and a half million dollars

A new theater for the French Dramatic Company is in process of construction on *Fourteenth* street near Sixth avenue. It will be completed in February next. It is also rumored that a grand new opera house, in opposition to the present Academy of Music, will shortly be built, somewhere in the vicinity of Madison Square. So you see we are getting ready to entertain the *princes of seldom and the rest of mankind*. We are simple kind hearted hospitable people here in New York. All we ask is. Have they got the *spondulicks?*

Yours,

DICK FOLLY

TITUSVILLE

Hotel Arrivals, October 26, 1865.

UNITED STATES HOTEL

H Shurter, Seneca Falls, J O Morton, Dawson Centre, H C Hutton, Jersey City, John Dunbury, Amherst, Henry Hutterson, do, J R Sweeney, Titusville, T S Barringer, Palmyra N Y, Jas Rice, do, Meredon, Sam Mack, Livingston, James Cornell Centreville, I R Anderson *Penn Line*, F Boston Cleveland, James Smith, Ravenna, Charles Morgan, Cleveland, J H Jones Rochester, O Randell Norwich, M Little, Clyde Mills, S S Bell, Pithole, I M Foster, Union Mills

BUSH HOUSE

G Pease, P Dosworth, J M Burgunin, A Childs, H Stolp Plainsville O G Hatch Erie, W Paine, M Morse, John Cook, Pithole, A Fox, *H Gloom*, Dr Calhoun, Detroit, J Hunt, R Hughes Binghamton, J Humphrey Freeport, P Hatch, Pithole, C Vrik, New York, C Arick N King, D Smith, Albion, A Hart, Athens, J Criswell, S E Stiggs, Painesville

MERCHANTS HOTEL

H B Baker N Y Rufus Ames, Agawam, Mass, *Perrin Rose Albion*, I D Babcock do, John M Authon and lady Boston, A E Pratt, Pithole W Pratt do, do, Francis Buck, Springfield M F King Albany H Franks, Pithole H E Butts, do, Isaac Van Wick Rochester, Newton Brinton, do, James Ray, New Rochelle, Peter M Murton, Bound Brook Samuel DeWitt and wife, Mecksville Horace Whitker, Jonesville James F Wood Dunlith, Fair C Typle, Pithole, E E *Davis Williamsport*, do, Rev S Dunnee, do John Miller, N Y S B Wolly Ashtabula R R Blakeslee, do, J W Judd, New Haven, G S Gilbert do, John Gilbert, do, Samuel Burton, do, H Thomas, Harrisburg, J C Ray, Toronto C W, I M Kapal, N Y, J R Loomis, Corry, C A Welch, Cold Springs, G W Eghanur, do Wm Smith, Canada, Geo L Shutts and J Indles, Pittsburg, H B Knapp, do

MOORE HOUSE

S I Brown, Plainsville W H Harris, do, R I Foote Pithole, J W Ross, New York S I Nail, Mill Brown, I Nell *Miss Brockhill*, do, M Attis, Pithole G W Austin Union, F W Wheeler, St Louis, I D Morter do, M B Dibble, and lady, Buffalo J Solomon, New York, B S Way, Tiffin M Cullotte do, A Comer, Little falls, G Buckley, Mich, D N Webster, New York, J A Holmes, Painesville, J E Jones, Pankhill, G W Buckhill, Centreville G H Carlile, Pankville, A B Hoppell do, J A Reed, New York, J Dirk, Buffalo, M Rothchilds New York, C E Carlton, New York A A Draper, Rochester, Col D E Gregory, Pithole, J W *Sherman Phila*, H C Hutton, Jersey City, P *Howard, Pithole, E J Hulsden, Cleveland*, W Rowar A Lovell

PENDELTON HOTEL

J Johnston, New York, J Jones Rochester, F Wolfe, Pittsburg, Frank Hurley, Franklin, A A Stewart, Greensburg, M Mason, Taunton, G H Ayre, Buffalo, A Ackerman, New York, Wm Barrett, Nashua, J Winans, Waterloo, Charles Leeper, Marshall Goss, Plessantville, Wm Doyle & W B Babcock, Samuel Drake, Batavia, Wm J Jackson, Buffalo; James Tilden, Cleveland, B Pinkney, Wilsonville, W Kountz, Pittsburgh, G *Harlett, H Frost, John Howe, A D Nelson, A C* Stanley

MONEY FARM HOTEL—PITHOLE—Telegraph office now in operation in this new and strictly first class Hotel

MONEY FARM Well No 4 on Farm No 5 found yesterday that the sucker rod was broken. After drawing 600 feet, it commenced flowing at the rate of over 300 barrels per day. This well owned by E J Wheeler

No 186 is doing over 100 barrels, and all are improving

A well near the farm, and at least 100 feet above the creek, commenced flowing and pumping about 100 barrels daily

DUNKIRK DAILY JOURNAL—This is the title of a new daily paper started at Dunkirk on the 23d instant. It presents a neat typographical appearance, is edited with spirit and its advertising columns reflect credit upon that enterprising town. Its proprietors, Messrs George & Martin have our best wishes for their prosperity in their commendable undertaking

DR LEPODONE J VOUSO, of Meadville, for three years past physician and surgeon in Wilson's Cavalry, is about to take up his residence in this Borough and pursue the practice of medicine. He has high testimonials from officers of rank in the army and well known families in Meadville, as to his professional ability and character

POLICE REPORTS—We learn that Mr J T Mansfield, who was robbed and shot at Oil Creek on day about two miles from this city, as reported in our issue of Tuesday caused the arrest yesterday of a man by the name of Ed Darrow charging him with being the guilty party. Full particulars on Monday

INSURANCE—Capt H L Mills & Wm Wrigley have formed a partnership in the insurance agency business, Life, Fire and Accident. Representing the responsible companies, and being well known in this community they deserve a liberal patronage. See advertisement

MONEY FARM HOTEL—PITHOLE—This Hotel will be throughout heated with steam pipes, and always warm and comfortable

YOUNG STRAWBERRIES—We notice under date of Rome Ga, Oct 14, that strawberries in full bloom and with some half grown fruit on the vines. We have heard of strawberries being in bloom at Oil City, but this is the first we have heard of their being in bloom and with fruit in the South. Rome is the home of Jeff Davis's Rebel Cabinet, and the fruit referred to was picked from the vines in the yard of Rebel Secretary Benjamin's Rebel Cabinet